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TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY)

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT CARTER'S VISIT: POSSIBLE AGREEMENTS  
TO BE SIGNED

REF: CARACAS 1787

1. DEPARTMENT HAS CONTACTED HEW CONCERNING PROPOSAL FOR  
AGREEMENT ON COOPERATION IN CANCER RESEARCH. PERTINENT  
OFFICES IN HEW (OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL HEALTH) AND  
NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE (NCI) HAVE INSTITUTED MULTI-  
LATERAL COOPERATION ON CANCER RESEARCH WHICH IS CARRIED  
OUT UNDER PAHO AUSPICES. HEW BELIEVES STRONGLY THAT

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ATTEMPT TO REDIRECT SUCH COOPERATION INTO A BILATERAL  
FRAMEWORK WOULD DUPLICATE PRESENT PAHO-SPONSORED PROGRAMS.  
WORKING THROUGH PAHO KEEPS ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS OF INTER-  
NATIONAL COOPERATION TO A MINIMUM AND BENEFITS COUNTRIES  
INVOLVED IN REGIONAL PROGRAMS BY COORDINATING INFORMATION.  
A PAHO OFFICE AND REPRESENTATIVE EXIST IN CARACAS, AND CAN  
ASSIST WITH PROGRAMS UNDERWAY AS WELL AS WITH IDENTIFYING

AREAS FOR EXPANDED COOPERATION. NCI HAS EXPRESSED INTEREST  
IN INCREASING PROGRAMS ON CANCER RESEARCH IN VENEZUELA  
UNDER AEGIS OF PAHO. VANCE

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